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Applicants: Lewis, et al.
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Sir:

Please find enclosed for filing:

1. Response under 37 C.F.R. §1.111 with attached Declaration Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.131 and Confidential Information Disclosure BOC8-1999-0080;
2. Petition for Retroactive Extension of Time (One Month);
3. Appointment of Associate Attorneys; and
4. Change of Correspondence Address.
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